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The Dow Chemical Company  
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June 10, 2011

Honorable Cynthia T. Brown  
Chief, Section of Administration  
Surface Transportation Board  
1925 K Street, N. W.  
Washington, D.C. 20423 .

Re: Notice of Intent to Participate in Ex Parte No. 705, Competition in the Railroad Industry

Dear Ms. Brown:

Pursuant to the Board's notice served on February 2, 2011, in the above proceeding, The Dow Chemical Company ("Dow") hereby provides notice of its intent to participate in the hearing schedule for June 22, 2011. I respectfully request 15 minutes for my presentation. My intent is to address Dow's background and statement of interest in this hearing, impact to Dow from reduced rail competition, and our input to policy changes to enhance rail competition.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brad Gray".

Brad Gray  
Global Director, Logistics Purchasing

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